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POST REQUESTS FACILITATIVE ASSISTANCE SERVICES FOR URUGUAYAN JOURNALIST MARIA ROSA ATELLA, 1966 PARTIAL IV GRANTEE, TRAVELLING ON HER OWN TO THE U.S. END OF JULY. PLANNING STAY FROM AUGUST 2 TO AUGUST 8 WITH RELATIVES IN CAMDEN, NEW JERSEY, TWO HOURS DRIVE FROM NEW YORK CITY. ALTHOUGH REASON OF TRIP MAINLY PERSONAL, MS. ATELLA WISHES TAKE ADVANTAGE PROXIMITY OF NEW YORK TO MAKE PROFESSIONAL CONTACTS THERE. MS. ATELLA REPRESENTS FOREIGN PRESS CLUB IN URUGUAY, HAS WORKED IN CITY INFORMATION DEPARTMENT OF DAILY "EL DIARIO" SINCE 1974 AND HAS HAD BEEN SINCE 1969 FREE LANCE CORRESPONDENT OF "VANIDADES", INTER-AMERICAN WOMEN'S MAGAZINE EDITED IN MIAMI WITH CIRCULATION OF 825,000. MS. ATELLA WISHES CONTACT OVERSEAS PRESS CLUB OFFICIALS IN NEW YORK AND INTERVIEW ONE OR TWO PROMINENT AMERICAN WOMEN FROM WOMEN'S LIB MOVEMENT AND/OR OTHER PROMINENT WOMEN FIGURES. IN ORDER TO INTEREST LATIN AMERICAN READERS INTERVIEWEES SHOULD BE INTERNATIONALLY-KNOWN WOMEN. MS.

ATELLA WOULD LIKE TO FIT PROGRAM IN ONE DAY, IF AT ALL POSSIBLE. POST REQUESTS DEPARTMENT CONTACT MS. ATELLA AT RELATIVES' ADDRESS AS FOLLOWS: C/O RALPH VIGNONA, 251 SOUTH 27TH ST., CAMDEN, NEW JERSEY, TEL. 609-964-0798. KNOWLEDGE OF ENGLISH EXCELLENT. STAISFACTORY NAME CHECK. BIODATA: FULL NAME MARIA ROSA ATELLA VIGNONA. BORN MONTEVIDEO, AUGUST 18, 1938. ADDRESS: HUMBERTO I 3910, MONTEVIDEO. QGESENT POSITION: JOURNALIST IN CITY INFORMATION DEPARTMENT OF DAILY "EL DIARIO" SINCE 1974; FREE-LANCE CORRESPONDENT OF BI-MONTHLY "VANIDADES" MAGAZINE; CORRESPONDENT OF TWO FRENCH

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MAGAZINES AND ONE ARGENTINE MAGAZINE ON TOURISM. PAST POSITIONS:

JOURNALIST, DAILY "EL DIA"; CHIEF, TOURISM SECTION OF "EL DIA";
CHIEF, PRESS OFFICE, VICTORIA PLAZA HOTEL. TRAVELS U.S.: 1963,
PARTICIPANT IN ONE MONTH GROUP TRAVEL OF LATIN AMERICAN WOMEN
JOURNALISTS SPONSORED BY NEW YORK COMMITTEE OF CORRESPONDENTS; 1965,
ONE YEAR STUDIES AT UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS, AUSTIN, UNDER CIP
SCHOLARSHIP; 1966, PARTIAL IV GRANT; 1967-69-72 PRIVATE TRIPS.
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